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# TEXT-BOOKS

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## Text-Book Regulations

FOR

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AND HIGH SCHOOLS AND  
COLLEGIATE INSTITUTES

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# Text-Books Authorized and Recommended

## SCHEDULE A

### TEXT-BOOKS AUTHORIZED PUBLIC AND SEPARATE SCHOOLS

Arithmetic for Public Schools (Canadian Watchman Press, Oshawa) ....	\$0.10
Junior Arithmetic (The Educational Book Co., Ltd.)	
†Grade III .....	.10
†Grade IV .....	.10
Grade V in preparation	
Grade VI in preparation	
Composition and Grammar for Public Schools (Canadian Watchman Press, Oshawa) .....	.25
Ontario Public School Geography (W. J. Gage & Co., Ltd.) .....	.75
Ontario Public School Health Book (The Copp Clark Co., Ltd.) .....	.25
Junior History of England (The Ryerson Press) .....	.22
The Canadian Speller, Book One—for Grades I to VI (W. J. Gage & Co., Ltd.) .....	.24
The Canadian Speller, Book Two—for Grades VII to IX (W. J. Gage & Co., Ltd.) .....	.20
A First Book of Canadian History (The Macmillan Co., Ltd.) .....	.30
Modern Bookkeeping — Course I. (J. M. Dent & Sons, Ltd.) .....	.60
A Practical Bookkeeping Set (J. M. Dent & Sons, Ltd.) .....	.15
A Reader in Canadian Civics (The Macmillan Co., Ltd.) .....	.28
Ontario Readers:	
*Primer (The T. Eaton Co., Ltd.) .....	.04
First Book (The T. Eaton Co., Ltd.) .....	.06
Reader for Grade Three in preparation.	
Reader for Grade Four in preparation.	
Treasury Readers, Book Five—for Grade V (The Macmillan Co., Ltd., or The Ryerson Press) .....	.25
Treasury Readers, Book Six—For Grade VI (The Ryerson Press or The Macmillan Co., Ltd.) .....	.25
Life and Literature Series, Book One—for Grade VII (The Educational Book Co., Ltd.) .....	.30
Life and Literature Series, Book Two—for Grade VIII (Thomas Nelson & Sons, Ltd.) .....	.30
Ontario French Texts:	
Première Livre de Lecture — Première Partie (The T. Eaton Co., Ltd.) .....	.15
*Orthographe française — Première Partie (The Copp Clark Co., Ltd.) .....	.20
*Orthographe française — Deuxième Partie (The Copp Clark Co., Ltd.) .....	.26

### ROMAN CATHOLIC SEPARATE SCHOOLS

The following Canadian Catholic Corona Readers (The Hunter-Rose Co., Ltd.) are approved for use in the Roman Catholic Separate Schools:

Primer I	Second Book
Primer II	Third Book
First Book	Fourth Book

## SCHEDULE B

### BOOKS RECOMMENDED

Readers for Forms III and IV—See Regulation 9.

Recommended books selected from the following list should be purchased by Boards in numbers sufficient for class use. Pupils are not required to buy these books.

The Story of the British People (Thos. Nelson & Sons) .....	\$0.60
The Story of the Earth and Its Peoples (Thos. Nelson & Sons) .....	.70
Canadian Neighbourhood (The Ryerson Press) .....	.80
Canadian Neighbours—A Geography Reader (The Ryerson Press) .....	.80
Country Life Reader (The Macmillan Co., Ltd.) .....	.60
The Romance of Ontario (W. J. Gage & Co., Ltd.) .....	.70
Highways to Health (The Ryerson Press) .....	.80

† \* See Regulation No. 1, page 5

We Are Canadian Citizens (J. M. Dent & Sons, Ltd.) .....	1.00
Early Life in Upper Canada (The Ontario Publishing Co.):	
Book I—Pioneer Settlements .....	.50
Book II—Pioneer Life .....	.50
Book III—Pioneer Social Life .....	.50

## SCHEDULE C

### TEXT-BOOKS AUTHORIZED

#### CONTINUATION AND HIGH SCHOOLS AND COLLEGIATE INSTITUTES

##### Literature, Composition, and Grammar:

An English Highway. A new English Course for Grades IX and X (Longmans, Green and Company) .....	\$0.60
A Junior School English Course for Grades IX and X (Sir Isaac Pitman and Sons Canada, Ltd.) .....	.60
Living English. For Grade IX (Clarke, Irwin & Co., Ltd.) .....	.50
Creative English — for use in Middle and Upper School classes (The Copp Clark Co., Ltd.) .....	.50
*Shorter Poems (The T. Eaton Co., Ltd.) .....	.40
Short Stories and Essays (The Ryerson Press) .....	.44
Recueil de Morceaux (The Copp Clark Co., Ltd.) .....	.44
*Lectures Choiesies (The Ontario Publishing Co.) .....	.42

##### History and Geography:

Ontario Public School Geography (W. J. Gage & Co., Ltd.) .....	.75
*Ancient History (The Macmillan Company, Ltd.) .....	.65
Britain's History (The Copp Clark Co., Ltd.) .....	.39
A History of the Canadian People (The Copp Clark Co., Ltd.) .....	.46

##### Civics:

A Reader in Canadian Civics (The Macmillan Company, Ltd.) .....	.28
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##### Mathematics:

General Mathematics—Book I (The Macmillan Company, Ltd.) .....	
*Ontario High School Algebra (The Macmillan Company, Ltd.) .....	.50
Geometry (The Macmillan Co., Ltd.) .....	.50
Mathematical Tables (The Ryerson Press) .....	.15

##### Classics:

Ontario High School Latin Reader (The Macmillan Company, Ltd.) .....	.25
Ontario High School Latin Book (The Educational Book Co., Ltd.) .....	.70
White's First Greek Book .....	1.72

##### Moderns:

Basic French (The Copp Clark Co., Ltd.) .....	.95
The French Reader (The Ryerson Press) .....	.37
Ontario High School French Grammar (The Copp Clark Co., Ltd.) .....	.65
*Ontario High School German Grammar (The Ryerson Press) .....	1.00
The German Reader (The Ryerson Press) .....	.35
Lernen Sie Deutsch (Copp Clark Co., Ltd.) .....	1.00
Hills and Ford's First Spanish Course (The Copp Clark Co., Ltd.) .....	1.00
Bransby's Spanish Reader (The Copp Clark Co., Ltd.) .....	.65

##### Science:

General Science. An Introductory Study of Our Environment.	
Book One (J. M. Dent & Sons, Ltd.) .....	.50
Junior Science for Secondary Schools—Part I (Pitman and Sons, Ltd.) .....	.50
Elements of Physics, Revised Edition (The Copp Clark Co., Ltd.) .....	1.00
Physics Manual (The Copp Clark Co., Ltd.) .....	.50
Chemistry, A First Course (W. J. Gage & Co., Ltd.) .....	.50
Chemistry Manual (W. J. Gage & Co., Ltd.) .....	.25

##### Bookkeeping and Business Practice:

Modern Bookkeeping—Course I (J. M. Dent & Sons, Ltd.) .....	.60
A Practical Bookkeeping Set (J. M. Dent & Sons, Ltd.) .....	.15
*Elementary Accounting—Theory and Practice (W. J. Gage & Co., Ltd.) .....	.90
Essentials of Business Practice (Pitman and Sons, Ltd.) .....	.60

\* See Regulation No. 1, page 5



**AUTHORIZED FOR BOYS' CLASSES IN INDUSTRIAL AND TECHNICAL COURSES:**

Mathematics for Technical Schools (The Copp Clark Co., Ltd.) .... .65

**NOTICE**

On June 30th, 1939, authorization and contracts for the following books will expire. For their use in the schools of Ontario see Section 5, page 6, of this circular. Arithmetic for Public Schools; Composition and Grammar for Public Schools; Public School Geography; Public School Health Book; Junior History of England; First Book of Canadian History; Public School Readers (First Book); Orthographe française, Première Partie; Orthographe française, Deuxième Partie; Creative English; Shorter Poems; Short Stories and Essays; Recueil de Morceaux Choisis; Lectures Choisis; Ancient History; Britain's History; A History of the Canadian People; High School Latin Reader; High School Latin Book; Basic French; High School French Reader; High School French Grammar; High School German Grammar; High School German Reader; Elements of Physics; Physics Manual; Modern Bookkeeping—Course I.

Notice of the expiry of a contract on a certain date does not necessarily imply that the book concerned will then be replaced by a new one; its authorization may be extended or a revised edition may be published. In the meantime all concerned should exercise due discretion in purchasing such books.

**SCHEDULE D**

**BOOKS RECOMMENDED FOR USE IN HIGH SCHOOLS**

Recommended books selected from the following list should be purchased by Boards in numbers sufficient for class use. Pupils are not required to buy these books.

Dent's Canadian School Atlas (with historical and classical maps) (Dent)	\$0.60
Imperial Royal Canadian Atlas (Oxford University Press) .....	2.00
Royal School Atlas for Canada (with classical maps) (Nelson) .....	1.00
An Historical Atlas of Canada (Nelson) .....	1.75
Our Wonderful Universe (The Ryerson Press) .....	1.50
Philip's Dominion Atlas of Comparative Geography (Clarke, Irwin) .....	.50
International Atlas of Clouds and of the Sky (Office, National Météorologique Rue de L'Université, 176, Paris) Abridged Edition	2.00
The Weather Map — An Introduction to Modern Meteorology—printed and published by His Majesty's Stationery Office, London, W.C. 2, England .....	Price 3s.
The Meteorological Observer's Handbook — published by His Majesty's Stationery Office, London, W.C. 2, England .....	Price 5s.

**Text-Book Regulations**

**PUBLIC, SEPARATE, CONTINUATION, AND HIGH SCHOOLS AND COLLEGIATE INSTITUTES**

1. The publishers shall sell direct, in any quantity, to any purchaser for use in Ontario, the books listed in Schedules A, B, C, and D above, at 20 per cent. (those marked \* 30 per cent.; those marked † 25 per cent.) less than the maximum prices named in the aforesaid Schedules. Certain additional discounts, which may vary from time to time, are to be allowed on certain books, as the Minister directs.

2. As may be determined by resolution of the Board of School Trustees, the books for Supplementary Reading, as prescribed by the Regulations and as selected by the Principal and approved by the Inspector, shall be provided by the pupils for their own use or by the Board of School Trustees in the school library for the use of the pupils in the different Forms in numbers satisfactory to the Principal and approved by the Inspector. The list of such books shall include the books in English Literature to be read by candidates for a Departmental Examination.

3. No text-books are authorized in Art, Nature Study, Agriculture and Horticulture, Manual Training, and Household Science, but suitable reference books, selected by the Principal and approved by the Inspector, shall be provided in the school library by the Board of School Trustees for the pupils' use in numbers satisfactory to the Principal.

4. For Religious Instruction in the Public, Continuation, and High Schools and Collegiate Institutes, the Sacred Scriptures, or the Selected Scripture Readings of the International Sunday School Association, or the Bible Readings published by The Macmillan Company, Ltd., Toronto, and issued for the approval of School Boards by consent of the Department of Education, shall be used as prescribed by the Regulations of the Department of Education.

5. Any book the authorization of which expires in June of any year, may be continued in use for one school year, provided that the Board of School Trustees pass a resolution to that effect on or before the opening of the schools in September of the year during which the use of the book is desired; this resolution to be shown to the Inspector on his next visit. This applies to the following books: Ontario Writing Courses, Books I, II, and III; Second Reader; High School English Grammar; English Composition for High Schools; High School Physical Geography; High School Arithmetic; Botany for High Schools; Zoology for High Schools.

6. (1) The Principal shall submit to the Inspector at his official visit a copy of each of the resolutions provided for in 2 and 5 above, and in 11 below, duly dated and certified by the Secretary of the Board of School Trustees.

(2) It shall be the duty of the Inspector to see, at his first visit to each school after the receipt of this Circular, that the resolutions of the Board of School Trustees referred to in 6 (1) have been duly passed, and, when necessary, from time to time thereafter, that the provisions of the Regulations have been duly carried out in the school.

#### PUBLIC AND SEPARATE SCHOOLS

7. Books authorized for use in the Lower Schools of Continuation and High Schools and Collegiate Institutes are authorized for use by pupils taking the corresponding subjects in the Fifth Form of Public and Separate Schools.

8. Boards of Roman Catholic Separate School Trustees may by resolution adopt either the Ontario Readers or the Canadian Catholic Corona Readers for use in the schools under their charge.

9. The Board of School Trustees should select from the lists given in Schedule B, page 3, sets of books for pupils' use, to be used as supplementary to the authorized text-books in Forms III and IV.

## CONTINUATION AND HIGH SCHOOLS AND COLLEGIATE INSTITUTES

10. Books authorized for use in Forms IV and V of the Public Schools are authorized for use by pupils taking the corresponding subjects in the Lower School of Continuation and High Schools and Collegiate Institutes.

11. For the High School Upper School, any books may be used which have been recommended by the Principal and approved by resolution of the Board of School Trustees. If no change has been made since the passing of this resolution in a former year, another resolution is not necessary.

12. Any edition of the English Literature texts prescribed for the examinations conducted by the Department of Education may be used in the schools with the approval of the Principal. In the case of French and German, when the edition is not specified in Circular 58, any **unabridged** edition may be used.

13. Boards of School Trustees shall provide in the school library a supply of Wild Plants of Canada, **revised edition** (W. J. Gage & Co., 75 cents), or of other Floras sufficient for class use by the pupils, but pupils will find it to their advantage to purchase copies of their own.

### AUTHORIZED TEXT-BOOKS

#### High Schools Act

60. (1) A teacher shall not use or permit to be used as a text-book in a High School any book except such as is authorized by the Regulations, and the Minister, upon the report of the Inspector, may withhold the whole or any part of the Legislative grant in respect of any high school in which any authorized book is so used.

(2) Subject to the Regulations, an authorized text-book in actual use in a High School may, with the written approval of the Board, be changed by the teacher for any other authorized text-book on the same subject.

#### Public Schools Act

105. An authorized text-book in actual use may be changed by the teacher for any other authorized text-book on the same subject with the written approval of the Board and subject to the Regulations.

133. If a teacher negligently or wilfully permits an unauthorized book to be used as a text-book by the pupils of his school, the Minister, on the report of the Inspector, may suspend such teacher, and the Board may also deduct from his salary a sum equal to so much of the Legislative Grant as has been withheld on account of the use of such book, or any less sum at its discretion.

120. (1) Subject to the regulations it shall be the duty of every Public School Inspector:



(i) to withhold his order for the amount apportioned from the legislative grant and to order the withholding of the municipal grant,

(iv) where the teacher uses or permits to be used as a text-book any book not authorized by the Regulations;

and in every case to report to the Board and to the Minister his reasons for so doing.

#### REGULATIONS FOR OTHER CLASSES OF SCHOOLS

The Regulations governing the use of books in Commercial High Schools and Departments, and Agricultural and Household Science Departments of the High and Continuation Schools, and in Industrial, Technical, and Art Schools and Departments, are as follows:

(1) The text-books for the general subjects shall be the same as those prescribed for the High Schools, or others specifically approved in each case by the Minister.

(2) The text-books for the vocational subjects shall be those selected by the Principal and approved by the Minister.

NOTE.—Circular 52 gives a complete list of authorized and recommended texts approved by the Minister for use in Vocational Schools.

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION,  
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